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Laurence HERMITTE et al.

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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December 3, 2010

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of June 3, 2010, and the Advisory Action of October 26, 2010, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.